HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 466 By McDaniel

A RESOLUTION To commend Erina Marie Hughes for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, Each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Erina Marie "Erin" Hughes is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern in the Office of the House Republican Leader, Representative Steve McDaniel; Erin's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, A student at the University of Tennessee at Martin, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Erin Hughes has achieved academic success, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, While pursuing a degree in English with a minor in Psychology and maintaining an exemplary 3.5 grade point average, Erin has been a valuable member of the Chi Omega Women's Fraternity, Sigma Tau Delta National English Honors Fraternity, the UTM Honors Programs, and the UTM English Society, and has astutely served as a UTM Student Ambassador, and as a Peer Enabling Program Leader; and

WHEREAS, She is the daughter of proud parents, Thomas W. and Pamela L. Hughes; and

WHEREAS, Eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Erin Hughes brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2001 session of the One Hundred Second General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the 2001 legislative session, Erin has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, A fellow member of Representative McDaniel's staff has eloquently said of her: "Erin's extensive knowledge of state and local government was a great asset to our office. Her bright personality and intelligence made her a pleasure to be around, and we know that she will have great success in her future endeavors"; and

WHEREAS, Erin Hughes has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend Erina Marie Hughes for outstanding service as a legislative intern in the Office of House Republican Leader, Representative Steve McDaniel, and extend to this exceptional young lady our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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